Outcomes Tools Selection
Committee Meeting
May 27, 205

In Attendance: Jennifer Embry, Kerri Brazzel, Bob Darling, Joe Landreneau , Jim Gregory,
                        Tracy Petty, John Hopson, Clayton Mitchell, Diane Skaggs, Rene Montgomery,
                        Kelly Moffett-Place, Amanda Crisp, Nicole May, Melissa Ortega, Robin
                        Ravendreen, Bridget Atkins, Jared Spark, Kristi Kirk, Peggy Kelly, Amanda
                        Allen, Alan Kaufman, Kathy Harris, David Kuchinski, Tracy Taylor, Andrea
                        Fresh, Derek Spiegel, James Turner, Noelle Stimach, Linda Nelson, Lisa
                        Evans,Rachel Veregge, Tracy Terwilliger, Keith Noble, Charlotte Carlson,
                        Kendell Camp, Phyllis Bell, Ryan Williams, Megan Holt, Serhan Al-Serhan,
                        Shari Willding, Kim Dean, Brooke Meier,Holly Grebert, Roselle Roberson, Julie
                        Meyer, Paula Stone, Robert Nix and Pamela Dodson

Julie Meyer called the meeting to order on May 27, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.

Ms. Meyer thanked all that attended and opened the meeting with the introduction of the committee.
Individual committee members who were in attendance introduced themselves, followed by the
introduction of Dr. Elizabeth Childers.

Dr. Elizabeth Childers presented the Y-OQ Outcomes Report, which included the following information:

Discussed the three stages of the Y-OQ:
   ▪ Age 4-17 which consist of 64 items and is completed by the parent or caregiver
   ▪ Age 12-18 which consist of 64 items and is completed by youth
   ▪ Age 18-21 which consist of 45 items and is completed by the young adult

Population
   ▪ 60, 547 clients had a least one valid Parent, youth or adult Y-OQ administered
   ▪ 35,827 clients had two or more valid Parent, Youth or Adult Y-OQ
   ▪ 12,195 clients were in treatment (Active)
   ▪ 23,632 clients were inactive (discharged)

Four Outcome Categories
   ▪ Recovered
   ▪ Improved
   ▪ Stable
   ▪ Deteriorated

Summary
   ▪ In all groups the rate of stable outcome was significantly higher than any of the other outcome
     categories
   ▪ Recovered rate was the highest amount Youth Y-OQ
   ▪ Adult Y-OQ had the highest rate of stable client outcomes
       ▪ Inactive client outcomes were better in general compared to the active clients

Dr. Childers ended her presentation by asking if there were any questions. None were asked at that time,
but informed that she would be available for any questions directly after the meeting or via email.

Paula Stone discussed the challenges of RSPMI/Medicaid Claims Data for CY 2014. Opened her presentation with why the state will no longer be utilizing the Y-OQ. She explained that a bill was passed in the 2015 legislative session that required the Division of Behavioral Health Services (DBHS) to select a new outcomes measurement tool.

Ms. Stone also presented challenges with the Y-OQ:

General
- RSPMI covers wide population
    - OQ measures separate databases
- Inability to determine the beginning of treatment
    - Inability to determine discharge
- Complexities involved in sorting by population

Provider Agency Challenges
- Family Involvement
- Literacy
- Internet Connectivity
- Instrument length and time
  Clinician Endorsement

Family Challenges
- Presentation and use by agency staff
- Repetitive questions
- Instrument time